

UMKC
NCAA Division I
Recertification Process

Community Open Forum
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NCAA Division I Recertification

- Since 1997, the NCAA requires all Division I schools to complete a full certification process every 10 years.
- The purpose of the certification is to ensure the integrity of athletics operations and making recommendations for improvement based on the NCAA's guiding principles.



UMKC's Recertification Process

- In August 2007, UMKC began the year-and-a-half long, campus-wide study of its athletics program.
- Self-Study Report is due by May 2008
- Campus Site Visit in November
- NCAA Division I Committee on Athletics Certification will publicly announce certification decision in February 2009.



Steering Committee

- Chair: Mel Tyler, Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs and Enrollment Management
- Rick Anderson, Interim Vice Chancellor, Administrative Services
- Dr. Chris Brown, Faculty
- Kenneth Ferguson, Law Faculty
- Dr. Gail Hackett, Provost
- Tim Hall, Athletics Director
- Janet Justus, Athletics
- Dr. Lora Lacey-Haun, Dean
- Mary Larson Diaz, Deputy Chancellor
- Dr. Pellom McDaniels, Faculty
- Sean McClain, SGA President
- Dr. Judith McCormick, Faculty
- Jordan Miller, Student Athlete
- Bonnie Painter, Staff Council President
- Dr. Ed Underwood, Faculty
- Chuck Vogt, Community Member
- Jim Wanser, Ed.S, Assoc. Director
- Dan Weddle, Law Faculty
- Carla Wilson, Senior Woman Administrator, Athletics
- David Yost, Foundation Board



- Chief Writer: Dr. Jeff Traiger
- Campus Liaison: Robin Hamilton



Sub-Committees

- Governance
- Academic Integrity
- Gender and Minority Equity
- Student-Athlete Well-Being



Governance

- Chair: Dan Weddle, Professor of Law
- The charge of the Governance Sub-Committee is to demonstrate that UMKC implements NCAA's principles of institutional control, presidential authority, shared responsibilities, and rules compliance.



Academic Integrity

- Chair: Dr. Judith McCormick, Associate Professor of the College of Arts and Sciences
- The charge of the Academic Integrity Subcommittee is to demonstrate that UMKC implements NCAA's principles of academic standards and academic support of student-athletes.



Gender and Minority Equity

- Chair: Jim Wanser, Ed.S, Associate Director for Testing, UMKC Counseling, Health, Testing and Disability Services
- The charge of this sub-committee is to demonstrate that UMKC implements NCAA's principles of gender equity and commitment to the fair and equitable treatment of all minority student-athletes and athletics department personnel.



Student-Athlete Well-Being

- Chair: Dr. Chris Brown, Associate Professor in the School of Education
- The charge of this sub-committee is to demonstrate that UMKC implements NCAA's principle of conducting the intercollegiate athletic program in a manner designed to protect and enhance the physical and educational well-being of our student athletes.



The Summit League

- Centenary College
- Oakland University (OU)
- Indiana University - Purdue University Fort Wayne (IPFW)
- Oral Roberts University (ORU)
- Indiana University - Purdue University Indianapolis (IUPUI)
- South Dakota State University (SDSU)
- University Missouri - Kansas City (UMKC)
- Southern Utah University (SUU)
- North Dakota State University (NDSU)
- Western Illinois (WIU)



UMKC Intercollegiate Athletics

- **Men's Basketball**, Matt Brown
- **Women's Basketball**, Candace White-Whitaker
- **Cross Country**, Shameika McField
- **Men's Golf**, J.W. VanDenBorn
- **Women's Golf**, Courtney Mahon
- **Soccer**, Rick Benben
- **Softball**, Meredith Smith
- **Men's Tennis**, Kendell Hale
- **Track & Field**, Shameika McField
- **Women's Tennis**, Kendell Hale
- **Volleyball**, Geno Frugoli



UMKC Intercollegiate Athletics

- **Total Student-Athlete Average GPA: 3.12**
 - Men's: 3.15
 - Women's: 3.09



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Any Questions?

